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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, this Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed October 3, 2002. Applicant respectfully requests amendment of the application, and reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.

Please revise the Attorney Docket No. from "4166-COM" to -- 09741620-0233 --.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please substitute the paragraph beginning on page 1; line 3 with the following paragraphs:

The present application is copending with and entitled to the benefit of the filing date of provisional application No. 60/052,703 filed 16 July 1997 and also entitled INTEGRATED UNITS WITH DIAGNOSTIC CAPABILITIES. This application is also related to and claims

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